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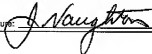
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NAVIGATION APPARATUS

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is timely filed on February 27, 2007 in response to the non-final Office Action dated December 28, 2006. Applicant requests reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks.